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IRIS ORIZABA



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1926 SURPLUS LIST

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FOREWORD

This little catalog, now in its third edition, constitutes an effort to find outlet for, and especially to secure wider local dissemination of the fast accumulating surplus of one of the largest study collections of Irises on the Pacific Coast. Limited space makes the stock of many varieties listed unduly low, but as the resources of two other large private collections are also available through arrangement with their owners, we are generally able to supply reasonable demand.

As we are constantly acquiring new varieties, and comparing and discarding older ones, the list of varieties available in surplus is constantly changing, and similarly but a certain proportion of the 1000 or more varieties which our combined collections include can be offered at any one time. Single roots, however, of many varieties not yet listed can often be supplied, so in case of specific desiderata unmentioned in this leaflet, special inquiry is invited.

Attention is called to the further material reductions in prices in this 1926 list as well as to the many new varieties offered.

The short list of our own seedlings (see page 4), is especially nominated for consideration. The newer introductions offered are very desirable for California gardens, but their behaviour in colder climes has not as yet been ascertained. Two are now listed for the first time.

CULTURAL NOTE

The culture of Irises depends mainly upon the particular group or type to which the plants belong. That of the majority of the Pogoniris or bearded group is very simple. Abstention from the use of retentive manure, a fair amount of lime in the soil, and good drainage are the principle points to attend to. The rhizomes should be set in the earth at time of planting with the roots carefully spread and the soil firmed about them, but the top of the rhizome not quite covered. In southern California the most successful Iris growers are those who irri-

gate their plantations occasionally through the summer, say once a month like a citrus orchard, following each watering with light cultivation.

Ridging the beds or planting on a slope is often resorted to with notable success.

Apogon Irises require somewhat more moisture as a rule, and for some groups, notably *Oncocyclus* and *Regelia*, quite special treatment is demanded—lighter soil, extra care in drainage, abundance of lime, and **no water** in summer.

For immediate garden effect we strongly recommend planting in groups of 3 or 5 rhizomes of a kind. Such a number may often be supplied at an appreciable reduction from the regular per unit price.

TERMS

Cash with order or references.

Fulfillment of all orders subject to stock on hand.

Prices are for strong, single rhizomes. The Iris borer has not yet come into our garden and every care is taken to keep stock as free as possible of rot and other troubles.

Where stock permits, twelve roots of a variety will be supplied for the price of ten.

We offer no guaranty except to do our best, but should stock sent prove untrue to name, every effort will be made to replace same satisfactorily.

Orders to value of \$5 or over sent prepaid to any part of U. S. Those of \$10 and over are privileged to a selection of extra plants to the value of 10% of the order.

Where customer includes allowance for postage with order, extra plants will be sent to cover same.

OUR OWN INTRODUCTIONS

(Excepting Jacinto, Cacique, and Canyon Mists, not over two roots of each to a customer.)

JACINTO (1924). S. Light Lobelia Violet, F. Ageratum Violet; flower of fair size and attractive symmetry; 4 ft. stem, well branched;

a tall pale blend of neutral tone with a pinkish cast; soft colorings, often seen on the beautiful mountain whose name it shares; present reports seem to indicate this to be reasonably hardy in the north. \$5.00.

***ORIZABA (1925).** S. Pleroma Violet, F. Hyacinth Violet, deepening to Mulberry Purple; conspicuous yellow beard; a huge and handsome dark purple Iris of Mesopotamica habit; 4 ft.; very early; coloring remarkably clear and deep; hardiness quite untested; illustrated on cover. \$10.00.

CACIQUE (1925). H. M., A. I. S. Handsome, upstanding fulva hybrid, in Prune-Purple and Blackish-Purple, on the order of the well-known Dorothea K. Williamson, but with us taller and a more robust grower; warmer but less brilliant coloring; brilliant gold signal patch. \$5.00.

***CANYON MISTS (1926).** A very light mauve self, quite similar in color effect to Mlle. Schwartz, but has a longer season and does not fade out seriously in bright sun. With us it is a more satisfactory grower and more floriferous than Mother-of-Pearl. A seedling of Caterina and very effective in mass where pale coloring is desired. Especially recommended for gardens where Mlle. Schwartz proves unsatisfactory. 3 to 3½ ft. \$5.00.

***MAUNA LOA (1926).** H. M., A. I. S. A tall upstanding bicolor of a strong reddish cast, the rich Dahlia Purple falls giving the dominant color note. Very large flowers. For so big and tall an Iris it seems to stand up amazingly well in rough weather. This has been one of the most admired Irises in our entire garden, and nearly all available stock for 1926 delivery has already been sold. \$15.00.

SPECIAL SET

A set of one each of the following recent introductions and novelties will be sent prepaid for \$25.00: Orizaba, Jacinto, Conquistador, San Gabriel, Cacique, Canyon Mists.

WILD TYPES OF POGONIRIS

We are especially interested in the wild forms of Iris and have a considerable collection of which the following are now available in more or less surplus. They are particularly interesting to those concerned in breeding work or botanically inclined, but most are likewise fine garden plants.

Albicans. Lovely early flowering white Iris, indispensable in California where it is often in full flower in February and usually lasts till Easter. 25c; 5 for \$1.00; \$15.00 per 100.

Amas. A huge broad-petaled germanica from Asia Minor. 35c.

Cengialtii. Small, but very floriferous lavender Iris from northern Italy; exquisite when massed. 35c.

Como. A beautiful pallida from northern Italy. \$1.50.

Cretan. A collected form from Mr. Dykes; related to Kochii and Crimson King, but somewhat bluer. \$5.00.

Kharput. A good collected form of germanica from Asia Minor. 25c.

Kochii. Similar to but bluer than Crimson King. 25c.

Madonna. Supposed to be the blue-purple form of albicans, but does not behave much like it in the garden. \$1.00.

MESOPOTAMICA. An enormous blue-purple Iris of Asiatic origin, which is an impressive garden subject in California and as a breeder has yielded some of the finest hybrids in cultivation. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.00.

Nepalensis. A deep blackish-purple form of Kochii. 35c.

Pallida. Tall light lavender. 25c.

Pallida Dalmatica. Similar to preceding, but larger flowers and deeper in color. 35c.

Ricardi. A variant early form of Mesopotamica. \$5.00.

Siwas. An early blooming, somewhat blue-toned germanica from Asia Minor. 35c.

Trojana. Unusually fine strain of imported stock. \$1.50.

Trosuperba. A splendid tall form of trojana; widely branched stems. \$1.00.

Variegata. A strong growing wild form of the true species from Sir Michael Foster's garden, originally no doubt from southeastern Europe. \$5.00.

POGONIRIS—GARDEN VARIETIES

Duly allowing for personal preferences and special conditions, we have found all the varieties offered in the present list which we have had long enough for fair testing to be worth growing.

Varieties having the names printed in capitals are in a way specialties of ours, and of these we have developed a particularly fine stock.

Varieties marked with an asterisk are mostly quite new sorts of which we have only very limited stock as yet.

***Abenda (Perry).** A very attractive red-toned blend. \$5.00.

Afterglow (Sturtevant). Lovely yellow-blended lavender. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.00.

Albert Victor (Barr). An old but altogether good pallida. 35c.

ALCAZAR (Vilmorin). A grand lavender and deep bronzy purple bicolor; does magnificently in California and is glorious in mass. 50c.

Alphonse Gerard (Denis). A curious streaky flower, but of value for its combination of height, earliness, and very long flowering season. It is very much finer in mass for distant effect than as a specimen stalk. \$1.00.

Ambassadeur (Vilm). Magnificent bronze and black-maroon bicolor. \$1.00.

***Amador (Mohr).** Very large and tall pink-toned bicolor. \$3.50.

***Amber (Dykes).** A new yellow as yet unflowered with us. \$20.00.

- ***Ambigu (Vilm.)**. A very rich red-purple with bronze tones. \$1.00.
- ***Ammon (Perry)**. A pretty cengialti hybrid. \$1.00.
- Anna Farr (Farr)**. A very refined plicata. \$1.00.
- ***Anne Bullen (Hort)**. One of Sir Arthur Hort's newer blue-purple bicolors. \$3.00.
- Ann Page (Hort)**. A much admired lavender-blue Iris of Caterina type. \$4.00.
- ***Anosia (Williamson)**. A very distinct golden brown and red bicolor. \$1.00.
- Antonio (Hort)**. Bright purple bicolor, with gigantic flowers of curiously attenuated outline: very fine. \$5.00.
- ***Aphrodite (Dykes)**. By no means a real pink, but a superb Iris nevertheless; form and style altogether individual. \$12.00.
- Archeveque (Vilm.)**. Rich velvety purple bicolor. 35c.
- ARGENTINA (Mohr)**. One of the new Mohr whites which has been greatly admired and proven hardy in the east. \$15.00.
- Argonaut (Bliss)**. One of the airiest and daintiest of the Bliss pallidas. \$1.00.
- ***Argynnis (Wmsn.)**. An exceedingly brilliant brown-red and yellow variegata, one of the very finest of the type we have yet tested. Strongly recommended. \$5.00.
- Arlington (Simpson)**. A striking bicolor considerably redder and more contrasty in effect than Lent A. Williamson. \$3.00.
- Arsace (Millet)**. A lovely tall flower in soft lilac, with a note of grey. 75c.
- Asia (Yeld)**. A very late light lavender bicolor of size and height; an impressive Iris. \$3.00.
- ***Asphodel (Morrison)**. Clear light lavender-violet. \$10.00.
- ATHENE (Sturt.)**. White with heavy contrast in the throat veining; **very lovely**. This combines beautifully in the garden with Bluet and such yellows as Primrose and Gold Imperial. 50c; 3 for \$1.00.

Atlas (Millet). 50c.

***Aurelle (Denis).** A very rich, crimson-purple. This was exceedingly fine with us in 1926. \$7.50.

Autocrat (Cleveland). Violet bicolor with at-tivation. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.00.

AVALON (Sturt.). Large flowers of a lovely shimmering Light Mauve; an Iris master-piece. \$5.00; 3 for \$12.50.

***Azrael (Morrison).** A large-flowered purple bicolor of fine outlines. \$7.50; 3 for \$20.00.

Autumn King (H. P. Sass). A blue-purple Iris of high quality quite outside its desirable autumn-blooming habit. \$3.00.

Azure (Bliss). Very clear toned lavender and violet bicolor. 75c.

Azurea (Pumila). A minute early Iris of value for its color; good rock garden subject. 35c.

Balboa (Mohr). One of the Mohr giants which seems to be hardy in the east. \$3.50.

Baldur (Morrison). S. lavender; F. velvety maroon purple; 4 ft.; very rich piece of color. \$7.50.

Ballerine (Vilm). Handsome big fluffy flower in pale lavender with a style all its own. \$1.50.

Baronet (Sturt.). Notable for its blue tone; good height. 75c.

Barrelane (Sturt.). A large lavender-violet flower of good habit. \$1.00.

Beau Ideal (Sass). A heavily bordered plicata. \$5.00.

***Bernard Galloway (Perry).** A well formed lavender Iris which proved very attractive this 1926 season. \$2.50.

***Bertrand (Bliss).** One of the finest and most distinct of the Dominion race; tall and a strong grower. \$25.00.

Black Prince (Perry). Old, but still unexcelled for richness of color; exceedingly late; should not be planted where the least drip can mar the heavy black-purple velvet of the falls; true stock. \$1.00.

- Blue Bird (Bliss).** Of a strong blue tone. \$1.50.
- Bluet (Sturt.).** A useful blue toned Iris; should be much more widely planted. 50c.
- *Bolingbroke (Hort).** A new white with a shading of blue. \$10.00.
- *Bruno (Bliss).** Rich and velvety, even for a "Dominion." A magnificent Iris, and a good grower. \$15.00 to \$20.00, according to size.
- B. Y. Morrison (Sturt.).** Deep purple falls with lavender edging matching the standards; slow grower with us. \$1.00.
- Cameleon (Lemon).** Dainty, narrow-petaled flowers of only medium size, but of peculiar garden charm; late season. 35c.
- Camelot (Bliss).** A wonderfully dainty tall plicata. 75c.
- Candelabre (Vilm.).** A striking flower in dark blue-purple and white. 35c.
- Canopus (Bliss).** Tall bronzy bicolor; first of the famous Dominion Race to be available at a low price. \$3.50 each; 3 for \$10.00.
- Caporal (Bliss).** Bright red-purple. \$1.00.
- Caprice (Vilm.).** The most popular reddish lilac Iris of low price. 25c.
- *Cardinal (Bliss).** An admired member of a famous race. \$20.00
- *Caroline E. Stringer (Sass).** A most dainty Pale Rose Purple self. \$10.00.
- Catalosa (Farr).** Violet bicolor with unusual type of reticulation on fall. \$2.50.
- Caterina (Foster).** In some northern climes does not succeed, but where it does well one of the most superb tall light-blue Irises. 35c.
- Cecil Minturn (Farr).** Soft lilac or violet. \$1.00.
- Celeste (Lem.).** An invaluable pale lavender Iris, most lovely for massing. 25c.
- *Centurion (Bliss).** One of the Dominion Race as yet unflowered in our garden. \$15.00.
- *Chalice (Sturt.).** A beautiful soft yellow self. \$8.00.
- Cherubin (Vilm.).** A soft creamy pink-lavender. 50c.

***Citronella (Bliss).** The illuminated effect of the clear yellow standards renders this one of the loveliest from the garden standpoint of all variegatas. It is our favorite of the group in spite of the somewhat splotchy falls. \$7.50.

Circe (Sturt.). A deep violet flower of unusual appearance. \$1.00.

Cluny (Vilm.). A handsome tall mauve. 75c.

***Conchobar (Bliss).** A strong-growing, but as yet unflowered Dominion seeding. \$20.00.

Col. Candelot (Millet). Small flower but a rich near-red in color. \$1.00.

CONQUISTADOR (Mohr). A gigantic, strong-growing Iris, without a rival for sheer magnificence in the garden; huge flowers on stout stems 5 to 6 feet tall. No collection should be without this Iris. \$3.50 each; 3 for \$10.00.

***Constance (Hort).** Very large flowered lavender purple. \$3.50.

Cordon Bleu (Sturt.). A small blue Iris of distinct value for its garden effect. 50c.

***Corrida (Mil.).** Clear blue lavender and very charming. \$1.00.

Cretonne (Bliss). Apparently better in the east than in southern California. 50c.

***Crimson Glow (Perry).** We have not yet seen this in flower, but can supply a limited number of good plants. \$12.00.

Crimson King. An indispensable standby among dark purple Irises, especially in California where it blooms abundantly at almost any time of year. 25c.

Crusader (Foster). Rich blue violet of fine habit. 50c.

Curiosity (Perry). An early dwarf Iris of odd green and brown coloring. 25c.

Cygnets (Sturt.). A lovely tall flower, very chaste in its cleancut outline and artistic blending of cream and ivory. Without a present compeer in its class. 4 ft. \$10.00.

Dalila (Denis). Purple and flesh-colored bicolor. \$1.00.

- DAMOZEL (Morrison).** A most lovely ruffled plicata. Greatly superior to Parisiana. \$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.00.
- Daniel Lesueur (Denis).** Handsome yellowish plicata of Mary Garden type. \$1.00.
- *Dejah (Perry).** One of the tallest hybrid pallidas. A very effective Iris. \$2.50.
- Dejazet (Vilm).** A soft reddish blend. \$1.00.
- Delicatissima (Millet).** A fine, tall, lilac-toned Iris. \$1.00.
- *Delight (Sturt).** Most chaste and stately of plicatas; very distinct and fine; some stock being disseminated under this name appears to be True Charm, there being considerable apparent confusion here in the west among the Sturtevant plicatas. Between this and True Delight we are so far unable properly to distinguish, but what we here list as Delight is one of the most exquisite Irises in our entire list. \$10.00.
- Demideuil (Denis).** A striking Iris curiously veined, dark reddish purple on a paler ground. 50c.
- *Deucalion (Perry).** One of the Perry apricot-toned bicolors. \$2.00.
- Diana (Caparne).** A good lavender intermediate. 25c.
- Diane (Vilm.).** Large purple flower. \$1.00.
- *Dido (Perry).** Of Alcazar-type. \$1.50.
- Dimity (Bliss).** An exceptionally dainty and well-named plicata. 75c.
- *Dionyza (Hort).** Reputed a weak grower, but once established we have found it very strong and vigorous. \$7.50.
- Donna Nook (Perry).** An unusually bright blue-purple bicolor. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.
- Dora Longdon (Bliss).** A bicolor in blended tones, which may fairly be depended on to flower in fall and winter in California as well as spring. 50c.
- Drake (Bliss).** A fine pallida. \$1.00.
- Dream (Sturt.).** Tall pinkish lilac; a lovely Iris and a good grower. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.

***Dusk (Morrison).** A somber but rich blend. \$5.00.

***Eden Philpotts (Perry).** A very beautiful thing when well grown. \$1.50.

EDITH CAVELL (Denis). Still our favorite in the white Irises, despite the appearance of newer rivals; huge yellow-throated flowers on tall stems; drooping falls of unusual finish and substance. A magnificent stock of this enables us to offer it at an unusually low price. \$3.50 each; 3 roots for \$10.00.

EDOUARD MICHEL (Verdier). Wonderfully ruffled, dark red-violet flower; **true stock.** 50c.

Eglamour (Hort). Enormous purple bicolor of medium tone. \$5.00; 3 for \$12.50.

E. H. Jenkins (Bliss). A very good lavender Iris of pallida origin. \$1.00.

Elberon (Koehler). A distinct and attractive red-toned flower. \$2.00.

E. L. Crandal (Farr). One of the heavily margined plicatas. 35c.

Eldorado (Vilm). A striking yellow and heliotrope blend, particularly attractive in conjunction with such softer "fireglow" types as Quaker Lady. 35c.

***Ensign (Sturt.).** A pink-toned bicolor of much landscape value. \$2.00.

***Esplendido (Mohr).** Rampant growing red-purple bicolor. \$5.00.

FAIRY (Kennicott). Inexpensive, but lovely; a dainty opal-tinted white plicata, fine both as a cut-flower and to mass in the garden. 25c; 5 for \$1.00; \$15.00 per 100.

***Fitzwater (Hort).** Very slender and graceful, the effect curiously recalling a Siberian Iris. \$5.00.

Flavescens. Rather small flowered but of a soft yellow, indispensable in the garden. 25c.

Florentina. Useful, early midseason white with a grey tone. 25c.

***Flutter-by (Sturt.).** One of Miss Sturtevant's pretty new yellows. \$4.00.

- Foster's Yellow (Foster).** 25c.
- Fro (Goos & Koenemann).** One of the best of the older variegatas. 35c.
- Gen. Gallieni (Mil.).** \$2.50.
- *George Yeld (Perry).** A purple and apricot bicolor remarkable for its abundance and duration of bloom. An easy doer. \$10.00.
- Georgia (Farr).** Bright lilac. \$1.00.
- *Glamour (Bliss).** One of the most thrifty growers with us among the Dominion group. \$15.00.
- *Gloriae (Cayeux).** One of the newer blue-toned Irises. \$10.00.
- Golden Fleece (Cap.).** Early, large flowered. One of the very best of the light yellow Irises. 50c.
- Gold Imperial (Sturt.).** Clear, deep yellow with bright orange beard. \$12.00 each; 3 for \$25.00.
- Grevin (Vilm.).** Red-purple blend. \$1.00.
- Gules (Bliss).** A rich lilac and violet blend. 75c.
- *Hakador (Perry).** \$2.50.
- Harlequin.** One of the oddest of the "Bal-ceng hybrids." 35c.
- *Harmony (Dykes).** Blue toned, even to the beard. \$5.00.
- *Harpalion (Perry).** \$5.00.
- Helge (G. & K.).** An early pale yellow intermediate. 25c.
- Her Majesty (Perry).** A pinkish lilac, sometimes very effective in mass. 25c.
- Hermosa (Dean).** Matthew's Purple. \$1.00.
- Hermione (Hort).** An immense and greatly admired light reddish purple. \$3.00.
- *Horizon (Morrison).** Clear light lavender. \$5.00.
- *Ideal (Cayeux).** One of the new blue-toned Irises. \$5.00.
- Igouf (Mil.).** \$1.50.
- Imperator (Cayeux).** A red-purple Iris which has been described as an improved Edouard Michel, but which with us is altogether different. \$3.50.

Ingeborg (G. & K.). Handsome flowered, early white with a yellow throat. 25c.

***Inner Glow (Sturt.).** As yet unflowered with us, but most beautiful as we saw it in Massachusetts. Ivory and yellow. \$5.00.

ISOLINE (Vilm.). Large flowers, indescribably blended in pale bronze, pink-lilac and mauve; regal when sheltered from the bright mid-day sun. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; \$20.00 per 100.

Ivanhoe (Millet). 50c.

Ivory (Cap.). Cream-toned, early. 25c.

Jacquesiana (Lem.). Tall bronze and mahogany. 25c.

Jeanne d'Arc (Verd.). An airy and very free plicata. 35c.

Jennett Dean (Sturt.). Very large flowers of pale shimmering lavender; exquisite when well grown, but fading a little in too bright sun. \$8.00 each; 3 for \$20.00.

J. J. Dean (Dean). Brilliant blue-purple; immense flowers; wonderfully effective indoors. \$1.00.

***Jubilee (Sass).** One of the best liked of Mr. Sass's interesting yellow-ground plicatas. \$7.50.

Kashmir White (Fos.). A fine large flowered white, purer in tone than Miss Willmott. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

***Kestrel (Morrison).** Magnificent new purple bicolor of superb form and carriage; strong grower; strongly suggests some of the Dominion race though of independent parentage. \$15.00.

Koya (Sturt.). Deep violet with white at throat. 50c.

***Kulan Tith (Perry).** A very attractive hybrid pallida. \$1.00.

***Lady Charles Allom (Perry).** Decidedly blue in effect; a very attractive Iris. \$3.50.

Lady Foster (Fos.). A handsome, big lavender flower. 75c.

- Lady Lou (Dean).** A robust plant and flower; of value for its earliness. \$1.00.
- La Neige (Verd.).** A lovely late creamy white, still far too rare. 50c each; 3 for \$1.00.
- LENT A. WILLIAMSON (Williamson).** In California, to bring out the rich coloring, this should be sheltered from over bright sun; splendid when well grown. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.
- *Leonato (Hort).** Immense flowered, and one of the most magnificent of lavender-purples. \$10.00.
- Lepinoux (Mil.).** A big 5-foot purple Iris, among the tallest grown; long flowering period. \$2.50.
- Leverrier (Denis).** Reddish violet; tall and large. \$2.00.
- Lohengrin (G. & K.).** Chinese violet in color. 35c.
- *Lona (Sass).** A very dainty yellow-ground plicata. \$5.00.
- *Lord Lambourne (Perry).** A striking reddish blend of fine garden effect. \$7.50.
- Loreley (G. & K.).** Light yellow and purple, floriferous and gay. 25c.
- Lurida.** Bronze lavender. 25c.
- *Lulworth (Dykes).** One of the recent English novelties; a rich dark flower of Perfection type; very floriferous. \$5.00.
- *Luna (Perry).** A very pretty light blue-lavender. \$1.00.
- Lutescens Major (Dean).** A useful small-flowered pale yellow Iris which grows somewhat taller than Statellae. 50c.
- *Lycaena (Williamson).** A purple and white amoena. \$1.00.
- Lysander (Hort).** \$1.50.
- Mme. Blanche Pion.** 35c.
- Mme. Boulet (Denis).** Somewhat similar to Mme. Chobaut. 50c.
- Mme. Chereau (Lem.).** White, heavily button-holed lavender; old, but still useful. 25c.

- MME. CHERI (Sturt.)**. Warm blended tones, with more yellow and less pink than Nancy Orne. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.
- Mme. Chobaut (Denis)**. Reddish-toned plicata on creamy ground. 50c.
- Mme. Claude Monet (Denis)**. Dark purple; early. \$3.00.
- Mme. de Sevigne (Denis)**. A good dark plicata of bluer tone than Parisiana. 75c; 3 for \$2.00.
- *Mme. Durrand (Denis)**. An indescribable tan and mauve blend. Very tall and large. \$5.00.
- Mlle. Schwartz (Denis)**. A very large, tall flower of pale pinkish lilac tone; midseason. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.
- Mady Carriere (Millet)**. A delightful blend in the Afterglow class. 75c.
- Magnifica (Vilm.)**. Immense flowers with characteristically hanging falls; on towering stems. \$1.00.
- *Magnificent (Fryer)**. A purple of heavy substance. \$10.00.
- *Majestic (Bliss)**. One of the largest and huskiest of the Dominions. Easy to handle. \$15.00.
- Ma Mie (Cayeux)**. One of the best standard plicatas. 35c.
- Mandalay (Sturt.)**. Similar to Caterina and should be tried where that variety refuses to grow. \$1.00.
- Maori Princess (Shull)**. \$5.00.
- Marian Mohr (Mohr)**. Tall, pale lavender, with characteristically drooping falls. \$2.00.
- Mariposa (Mohr)**. Pale grayish, with oddly flecked falls. \$1.00.
- Marion Cran (Perry)**. [See Mrs. Marion Cran:]
- *Marjorie Tinley (Perry)**. We are unable to make Perry's description fit our plant of this variety, but in any event what we have under the name was this season one of the loveliest lavender Irises we had. Remarkable for its airiness, floriferousness, and long season. \$10.00.

- Mary Garden (Farr).** A yellowish plicata of very considerable charm. 35c.
- *Mary Gibson (Perry).** A soft blend of Quaker Lady type, but warmer and brighter and altogether distinct. A beautiful Iris and one of the originator's best. \$15.00.
- Mary Williamson (Wmsn.).** Purple with white bordered falls. A distinct and interesting Iris. \$5.00.
- Mauvine (Dean).** A very tall, deep lavender. 35c.
- May Rose (Cleve.).** Of only medium height, but nice and bright in color; pinkish lilac. \$1.00.
- Medrano (Vilm.).** Deep vinous maroon; a splendid piece of coloring. 50c.
- Megas (Denis).** Splendid deep purple bicolor. \$3.50.
- *Melpomene (Perry).** A 4½ ft. pallida hybrid. \$3.00.
- Menetrier (Denis).** Pale yellow-and-lavender blend. \$1.50.
- *Mentor (Perry).** Somewhat like a taller and lighter Archeveque. Well grown it makes an exceedingly brilliant spot of color in the garden. \$2.00.
- Merlin (Sturt.).** Lavender-violet with buff center. \$1.00.
- *Mestor (Perry).** A very striking lavender and deep purple bicolor. \$10.00.
- *Midwest (Sass).** A dainty reddish plicata, delightfully frilled. \$1.00.
- Milky Way (Sturt.).** An attractive lavender-penciled white. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.
- Minnehaha (Farr).** Pale yellow with maroon reticulation; very distinct. 75c.
- Miranda (Hort).** Violet-purple self. 50c.
- *Miss Jessop (Perry).** An exceedingly neat blue-purple Iris, of similar tone to Lady Charles Allom, but rather dwarfer. They would doubtless plant well together. \$3.50.
- Miss Willmott (Foster).** A fine, large flowered, tinted white of substance. 50c.

- Mithras (G. & K.).** A striking yellow and maroon-purple bicolor. 35c.
- Moliere (Vilm.).** Deep violet; very large flowers; fine on the show table. \$1.00.
- M. Austin (Denis).** Handsome bronzy blend. \$1.00.
- M. Trinidad (Denis).** \$2.00.
- Monsignor (Vilm.).** A strong violet and purple bicolor with conspicuously margined falls. 35c.
- Montezuma (Farr).** Yellow, dotted brown. 50c.
- *Montserrat (Mor.).** One of the most admired of the Morrison seedlings. \$5.00.
- *Morning Splendor (Shull).** An exceedingly deep and rich piece of color. \$7.50.
- Mother-of-Pearl (Sturt.).** Another large-flowered pale lavender Iris of remarkably pearly tone. \$1.00.
- Mount Penn (Farr).** An Iris with a warm reddish tone which gives it garden value. 35c.
- Mrs. Andrist (Fryer).** An amoena of Rhein Nixe type. 35c.
- Mrs. Christman (Fryer).** A soft bronzy violet blend. 50c.
- Mrs. Cowley (Bliss).** 50c.
- Mrs. Haw (Fryer).** Lilac toned. 50c.
- Mrs. Hetty Matson (Perry).** Many find this one of their favorites among the Perry Irises, but we prefer the somewhat earlier, redder, and lighter Lord Lambourne. \$5.00.
- *Mrs. H. F. Bowles (Perry).** Rich, distinct, and fine; the fall almost a mahogany red. It flowers abundantly. \$7.00.
- *MRS. MARION CRAN (Perry).** An exquisite pinkish lilac Iris quite similar to Aphrodite in tone, but rather lighter and warmer, and for that reason perhaps destined to be of greater value for general garden purposes, although Aphrodite is superior as a specimen stalk. We have the true variety which is not to be confused with the older **Marion Cran**. (If roots of this latter variety be wanted for comparative purposes or for planting where a

- much deeper color note is desired we can supply them at \$1.00 each.) Tall (4 ft.), sturdy, and very floriferous. \$25.00.
- *Mrs. W. Cuthbertson (Perry).** A reddish blended bicolor of height. \$7.50.
- *Mystic (Bliss).** Described as a greatly improved Mrs. Horace Darwin. \$5.00.
- Myth (Sturt.).** Light lavender; big ruffled flower; exceedingly good. \$1.50.
- Nancy Orne (Sturt.).** A tall raspberry-toned lilac Iris; lovely in the garden. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.00.
- *Naomi (Sturt.).** An unusual lilac and Dahlia Carmine bicolor. \$10.00.
- Navajo (Farr).** A maroon variegata. 50c.
- Nelson (Bliss).** A good lavender pallida. \$1.00
- Neptune (Yeld).** One of the big purple bicolors 50c.
- Niebelungen (G. & K.).** Olive buff and violet. 35c.
- Nine Wells (Foster).** Extremely striking rich purple flower of fine height and habit. 75c.
- NUEE D'ORAGE (Verdier).** A ruffled, smoky-lavender flower with an illuminated center, which can be charmingly used for many purposes; especially satisfactory in southern California. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; \$25.00 per 100.
- Ochracea (Denis).** Old gold, flushed violet; late. \$2.00.
- Odoratissima.** An old but good pallida. 35c.
- OLD IVORY (Sturt.).** Light yellow with cinnamon reticulation at throat; 3 ft. \$3.00.
- *Olive Murrell (Perry).** A new and much touted blend as yet unflowered with us. \$10.00.
- Olivier Perthuis (Mil.).** Rich purple; 4 ft. \$1.50.
- *Olympus (Perry).** A tall reddish blend. \$3.00.
- Orange Queen (Perry).** Dwarf, early, deep yellow; one of the best for edging. 35c.
- Orchid (Shull).** Pale yellowish blend. \$1.00.
- Oriflamme (Vilm.).** Huge, blue-purple flowers in the utmost profusion. 50c.

- Othello (Lem.).** A large blue-purple bicolor, very rich in mass. 25c.
- Palaurea (Sturt.).** Lavender with yellow suffusion. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.00.
- Pancroft (Mil.).** Delicate soft creamy coloring. 50c.
- Pandora (Sturt.).** Clear pinkish lilac; always much admired. \$2.00.
- Parc de Neuilly (Vil.).** Rich violet purple; of splendid garden effect. 50c.
- Patience (Foster).** Of interest chiefly for its lateness. 50c.
- Pauline (Farr).** A deep red-violet self. 35c.
- Peachblow.** An unusual soft peach-tinted blend. \$5.00.
- Peau Rouge (Cayeux.).** Dark maroon; very rich and striking. \$4.00.
- *Peerless (Dykes).** One of the most famous of Mr. Dykes' fine seedlings, but one as yet not well tested here. A few small noses for fall delivery at \$30.00.
- Pensamiento (Shull).** \$1.00.
- Perdita (Dykes).** \$10.00.
- Perfection (Barr).** A lavender-purple bicolor with flaring velvety falls. 25c.
- *Perladonna (Belladonna of Perry).** A beautiful blue-toned hybrid pallida. \$2.50.
- Petrel (Mor.).** Unusual for depth of tone in the purple-flushed falls. \$2.00.
- Pink Pearl (Cleve.).** Pinkish cream. \$3.00.
- Pocahontas (Farr.).** A very effective plicata. one of the best of the cheaper sorts. 35c.
- Polaris (Sturt.).** An exceedingly tall dark violet self. \$2.00.
- Pont-a-Mousson (Mil.).** Big reddish bicolor, quite sumptuous in effect; 3 to 4 ft. \$1.00.
- Powhatan (Farr).** Strong violet-purple. 35c.
- Prestige (Sturt.).** Bright light yellow, veined with violet. 50c.
- Primrose (Sturt.).** Delightful clear yellow, lighter than Gold Imperial; good grower. \$10.00.

Prince Charming (Sturt.). Another of the lovely Glen Road plicatas. \$5.00.

Prince Lohengrin (Mohr). Similar to Lohengrin, but taller and more open in growth. \$1.00..

***Private W. A. Logan, M. M. (Perry)**. \$2.50.

Prof. Seeliger (Koehler). Wine purple; an attractive Iris. \$1.50.

Prosper Laugier (Verd.). Rich mahogany tones. 35c.

Prospero (Yeld). Strikingly handsome purple-violet bicolor. \$1.00.

Quaker Lady (Farr). A lovely soft violet "fire-glow" blend. 35c.

Queen Alexandra (Barr). Soft bronzy lilac. 35c.

QUEEN CATERINA (Sturtevant). Pale lavender-violet; exquisite at its best, but fading somewhat in too strong sun; a big stock enables us to price strong roots of this at only \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Queen of May. Soft lilac. 25c.

Rajput (Sturt.). A large flowered violet self. \$5.00.

Red Riding Hood (Koehler). Small flower, but of unusual reddish tone. 50c.

Rev. Wurtelle (Fryer). Rather small flowers, but richly colored. 50c.

Reverie (Sturt.). A fine reddish bicolor of unusually strong habit, neat form, and distinctive coloring; one of the most beautiful of the late blooming types. \$7.50.

Rialgar (Sturt.). One of the most effective yellow and brown variegatas we have. \$3.00.

Ricardi Fonce (Denis). Large flowers of Mesopotamica type on well branched stems. 75c.

Robert W. Wallace (Perry). One of the deepest and richest of neglectas; a handsome Iris. \$5.00.

Romeo (Mil.). A striking little yellow, violet, and lilac tricolor. 50c.

***Romola (Bliss).** One of the newest Dominion seedlings and one of the most praised. It is a good strong grower. \$25.00.

Rosalind (Bliss). A good mauve-toned pallida. 75c.

Rose Madder (Sturt.). A most imperial combination of Argyle and velvety Dahlia Purples. \$5.00 each; 3 for \$12.50.

Roseway (Bliss). A reddish toned Iris which has improved with acquaintance; an effective garden Iris. 50c.

Rubyd (Ruby of Dykes). A very effective red-purple. \$2.00.

***Ruby Perry (Perry).** A very lovely pallida hybrid of about the same hue as Aphrodite and Mrs. Marion Cran, but a shade or two darker. \$3.50.

Rugajo (Weed). Wine red in tone; valuable for garden effect. \$1.00.

Salonique (Cayeux). Of Rhein Nixe type, but with the standards very pale yellow instead of white. \$1.00.

SAN GABRIEL (Dean). Enormous lavender-mauve flowers, royally carried on 4 to 5-foot stems; single clumps bloom continuously with us for 10 weeks; early flowering; strong grower; a production of which Californians may well be proud. Bouncing roots \$5.00; good ones, \$3.00; \$25.00 per doz.

Sarabande (Sturt.). A most pleasing fawn and violet bicolor. \$1.00.

Saul (Denis). So far unflowered with us. \$2.00.

Seminole (Farr). Rich red-purple with velvety falls; very telling in the garden. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00.

Shekinah (Sturt.). Soft yellow. \$2.00.

Sherbert (Sturt.). An unusual bicolor in old gold and brown. \$1.00.

Sherwin Wright (Koh.). Taller and larger in the east than in southern California; clear, bright yellow. 25c.

Shrewsbury (Farr). Of unusual garden effect. 75c.

- *Shylock (Hort).** A very fine new lavender Iris. \$10.00.
- *Silver Queen (Perry).** A new white of Mr. Perry's as yet unflowered, but which came to us strongly recommended. \$10.00.
- Sindjkha (Sturt.).** Subdued tones but of magnificent habit and growth. \$1.00.
- Solana (Shull).** A hybrid variegata which is genuinely refined and beautiful; fine grower in California. \$2.00.
- SOLEDAD (Mohr).** A lovely early amber yellow of unusually clear tone. \$1.50; 3 for \$3.50.
- SOUV. DE MME. GAUDICHAU (Millet).** Rich, deep violet; magnificent both as specimen and clump; no Iris lover should be without it. \$1.50.
- *Speed (Hort).** \$2.50.
- Splendour (Sturt.).** A handsome ruffled flower heavily variegated in tones of purple. 50c.
- Stanley H. White (Sturt.).** A slightly veined yellow self. \$2.00.
- Statellae.** A small very floriferous early Iris of distinct garden value; cream yellow. 25c.
- Steepway (Scott).** An unusual and much admired blend. \$1.00.
- Swatara (Farr).** Of distinct garden effect. 75c.
- Sweet Lavender (Bliss).** Very fresh and neat; distinct from all other lavender Irises. \$1.50.
- Syphax (Bliss).** An attractive bicolor which flowers well in fall or winter as well as spring. 75c.
- Taffeta (Cleve.).** Bronzy lavender. 50c.
- Taj Mahal (Sturt.).** White, with lavender veining at throat; pallida habit; chastely beautiful; most costly Iris in commerce at time of introduction. \$8.00.
- Tamerlan (Vilm.).** Large violet-purple flowers. 35c.
- *Tancred (Sturt.).** A curious buff and purple Iris difficult to describe; very sturdy. \$8.00.

***Tenebrae (Bliss).** One of the most somber of the Dominion group; very rich and fine. \$10.00.

***Terias (Wmsn.).** A more coppery Quaker Lady. \$1.00.

***Thecla (Wmsn.).** A deep-toned neglecta of recent introduction. \$1.00.

***Thelma Perry (Perry).** \$1.00.

THESEUS (Hort.). Creamy white with yellow throat; fine form and splendid substance; strong grower; one of the finest of the wonderful new white Irises and exceedingly effective as a garden clump. \$10.00.

Tineae. A dependable pallida. 25c.

Tintallion (Sturt.). A small Iris but exceeding airy and dainty. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00.

Titan (Bliss). Gigantic spreading flowers on 4-foot stems; Dominion race; very strong grower; at its best an extraordinary Iris. \$10.00.

***Titus (Perry).** Deep pinkish lilac. \$1.00.

Tom Tit (Bliss). A small, dark violet Iris, very cheery in effect. 75c.

Tristram (Bliss). S. white; F. deep purple, \$1.00.

***Troades (Perry).** \$3.00.

True Charm (Sturt.). Evenly frilled lavender plicata; very lovely. \$2.00.

Tunisie (Mil.). Smoky lavender blend. 75c.

Turk. Neat-flowering, bright lavender intermediate. 35c.

Ursula (Hort). 50c.

Valery Mayet (Denis). Small flower of rich mahogany tones. \$1.00.

Valkyrie (Sturt.). Splendidly rich and somber in color; titanic in growth. \$6.00.

Victorine (Lem.). White and violet. 25c.

Vincentio (Hort). Handsome large bicolor. \$3.00.

Violetta (Dykes). \$1.50.

Virginia Moore (Shull). Very good late yellow. \$1.00.

Walhalla (G. & K.). A good bicolor intermediate; extraordinarily floriferous. 25c.

Warrior (Sturt.). A rich, dusky bicolor of imposing height and habit; splendid in California. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00.

***W. C. Terry (Perry).** A violet-purple bicolor. \$2.50.

WEDGEWOOD (Dykes). A lovely flower of bright clean tone, strikingly blue for an Iris; very floriferous; fine grower; greatly admired by every visitor. \$7.50.

Western Dream (Weed). Dainty mauve-toned lavender. \$1.00.

W. F. Christman (Fryer). Pale lavender with much reticulated purple falls. 35c.

Whiffenpoof (Sturt.). A ruffled flower of olive buff and red-violet; the reputedly crude colors tone down nicely under the bright California sun. 50c.

White Knight (Saunders). Pure snow white. 50c.

White Queen. A very pure and delightful new white. \$1.00.

WILD ROSE (Sturt.). An exquisite rosy lilac, which approaches true pink in the medium tones more closely than any other Iris we know; has proven a fine grower with us and very floriferous. \$2.50.

Yellow Hammer (Denis). Good deep yellow intermediate. \$2.00.

YELLOW MOON (Sturt.). Beautifully rounded flowers of a superb clear amber; one of the very loveliest of the new yellows. \$8.00 each; 3 for \$20.00.

***Yeoman (Bliss).** A very handsome and easily grown Dominion seedling. \$5.00.

Yvonne Pelletier (Mil.). Tall pale lavender; late. \$1.50.

Zanzibar (Sturt.). Very dwarf dark purple of great value for low borders and edgings. 50c.

***Zilia (Perry).** A very pretty tall hybrid pallida. \$2.00.

Zouave (Vilm.). Dainty lilac plicata. \$1.00.

Zua (Crawford). Curiously crinkled and not unattractive. \$1.00.

POGONO-CYCLUS

(Fall delivery only)

The following hybrids of various *Oncocyclus* and *Regelia* Irises with members of the *Pogoniris* group are interesting and not unduly difficult of culture.

Carmelo (Mohr). Blue-violet. \$2.00.

CHEROKEE MAID (Williamson). Blackish-maroon; both curious and wonderful and a great show-flower when in good condition. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.50.

Dalkish (Foster). Conspicuously veined. \$3.00.

Dorak (Foster). Another of the strongly veined purple forms. \$2.50.

GIRAN (Foster). Wine-colored. \$3.50.

IB-MACRANTHA (Van Tubergen). A striking lavender and red-purple bicolor with bronze shadings; enormous rounded flowers. \$5.00.

Ibpall (Foster). Purple-veined. \$3.00.

Nazarin (Foster). Another of the interesting purple-veined forms. \$2.00.

Pandora (Foster). \$3.50.

Semele (Foster). \$3.50.

***WILLIAM MOHR (Mohr).** The result of a *Parisiana-Gatesii* cross and one of the most extraordinary hybrid Irises ever raised. \$40.00.

Zwanenburg (Denis). An odd brownish flower with purple splashes. \$1.00.

ONCOCYCLUS

(Fall delivery only)

***Susiana.** Grayish white veined black-maroon; the somber but beautiful "Mourning Iris." \$1.50.

REGELIA

(Fall delivery only)

STOLONIFERA. A lovely bronze and blue wild species from Turkestan; acclimated stock of a particularly lovely blue-bearded form; one of the choicest things in this catalog. \$5.00.

***Leichtlinii.** A variant form of stolonifera. \$5.00.

REGELIO-CYCLUS

(Fall delivery only)

The following are all beautiful but not, we think, altogether easy to handle. They should be treated the same as the Oncocyclus. We have been a long time trying to work up a small California-grown stock.

Andromeda. Purple-feathered. \$2.00.

Beatrix. Pale gray, feathered violet. \$2.00.

***Camilla.** A curious and interesting paradoxa hybrid, not without considerable claim to beauty. \$5.00.

Charon (Van Tubergen). Golden brown; one of the most beautiful of this group. \$3.00.

Hecate. A pretty lilac and brown bicolor. \$2.00.

Hera. Exquisitely shot with ruby, bronze, and blue, the evidence of its stolonifera parentage. \$5.00.

Psyche. White, with purple-brown veins. \$2.00.

EVANSIA

Cristata. A tiny wild species from Kentucky; likes partial shade. 35c.

JAPONICA. Fleeting pale blue flowers with delicate mottling; the spikes keep flowering over a long season; likes partial shade. 35c.

Japonica Uwodu. A less floriferous but very beautiful and possibly hardier collected form from Japan. 35c.

***Milesii.** A rare form from the Himalayas. \$5.00.

Tectorum. The well known Roof Iris; flat blue-purple flowers with a conspicuously fringed white crest. 50c.

Tectorum Alba. The exquisite white form of the preceding. \$1.00.

***WATTII.** An amazing Iris from the north-eastern slopes of the Himalayas with a habit somewhat recalling a dwarf bamboo; flowers white or lightly tinted, borne in airy panicles over a long season; scarcely known to American horticulture as yet and therefore of untested hardiness in most parts of the country, but in southern California at least in no respect a difficult subject. Only a few plants available. \$10.00.

PARDANTHOPSIS

Dichotoma. Interesting summer flowering Chinese species; seedling stock. 35c.

APOGON

American Species

CACIQUE. (See Novelties.)

Foliosa a. An interesting blue flowered Iris from the Southern states. 35c.

Foliosa b. A particularly lovely collected form from Mississippi. 50c.

Purpurea (Dean). A fulva-hexagona hybrid. 50c.

Dorothea K. Williamson (Williamson). The most brilliantly colored Iris in this group. \$2.00.

SAVANNARUM. Handsome, tall blue Apogon from the Florida swamps, which has proven very amenable to California cultivation. \$1.00.

***Tol-long.** White with lilac veins. \$1.00.

Versicolor. An exceptionally richly colored form, the origin of which we do not know. 50c.

Mediterranean Group

(Winter flowering)

Unguicularis. Light violet. 35c.

UNGUICULARIS MARGINATA. The most luxuriant grower among the exquisite winter-flowering Mediterranean Irises; lovely for long borders; September to April. 25c each; \$20.00 per 100; good clumps 50c each.

UNGUICULARIS ALBA. White and gold; slightly shorter blooming season than preceding. Same price.

Queen Elizabeth. \$1.00.

Speciosa. Rich deep violet. 75c.

Spuria Group

(Fall delivery only)

A. J. Balfour. Fine, tall, blue. 75c.

Aurea. Tall, deep yellow. 75c.

Lord Wolseley. Handsome blue-purple hybrid; tall. 50c.

Monnieri. Moderately tall, soft yellow. 50c.

Monspur. Tall, blue-purple. 75c.

Mrs. A. W. Tait. Lavender. 35c.

Notha. Beautiful pale lavender form of spuria. 50c.

***Ochraurea.** A fine tall hybrid in two shades of yellow. \$1.50.

Ochroleuca a. Tall, white and yellow. 35c.

Ochroleuca b. A dwarfer and somewhat yellower form. 25c.

Ochroleuca Sulphurea. Yellower than typical ochroleuca. 50c.

***Ochroleuca Warei.** A very handsome variant of ochroleuca. \$1.00.

Shelford Giant. One of the grandest plants in the group. \$2.50.

Spuria. Lavender-blue. 25c.

Spuria Alba. Useful white form. 50c.

Siberian Group

(Fall delivery only)

Emperor. Magnificent dark blue collected form. \$1.00.

Perry's Blue. Fine light blue. \$1.00.

Snow Queen. Snowy white with yellow throat. 50c.

Miscellaneous

Ensata. Asiatic species; small, fleeting, lavender flowers over a long period. \$1.00.

Foetidissima. The Gladwyn Iris; an exceptionally fine strain with handsome deep green leaves, and flowers varying from greenish and light yellow tones to bright red-purple; ornamental pods of bright scarlet seeds in fall. \$1.00.

Japanese Iris, Alice Kiernan. The loveliest of this type we have grown; crepy white with a blue misting on the fall; fall and winter delivery only. \$1.50.

Pseudacorus Gigantea. A giant yellow marsh flag; very fine for a moist place. \$1.00.

XIPHIDIUM

(Fall delivery only)

Tingitana. A handsome bulbous Iris from Morocco; hard to flower. 25c each; \$2.00 per doz.

Dutch Iris, David Bles. Large flowered, soft lavender bicolor. \$1.00 per doz.

IRIS COLLECTIONS FOR BEGINNERS

Ten varieties, named for \$2.50, postpaid; very good value selected. Twenty varieties, \$5.00. Fifty varieties (a fine lot, including many uncommon things), \$25.00.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FOR COLOR HARMONY, ETC.

Some suggestions for those uncertain how to choose.

For Early Bloom

Collection 1—3 Mesopotamica, 1 San Gabriel, 3 Albicans. \$5.00.

Collection 2—3 Zwanenburg, 3 Soledad, 3 dark purple dwarf; a very pretty grouping can be made with these. \$6.50.

For Later Bloom

Collection 3—3 Jeanne d'Arc, 3 Zouave, 3 Mme. Chobaut. \$4.00.

Collection 4—(Fireglow set.) 3 Afterglow, 3 Quaker Lady, 3 Eldorado. \$3.00.

Collection 5—3 Crusader, 5 Fairy, 2 Yellow Moon. \$17.50.

Collection 6—2 Jacinto, 3 Archeveque, 2 Yellow Moon. \$25.00.

Collection 7—(Evansia Set.) 3 Japonica, 3 Japonica Uwodu, 3 Tectorum, 1 Tectorum alba, 1 Wattii. \$12.50.

Collection 8—(Apogon Set.) 2 Aurea, 3 Ochroleuca, 2 Spuria, 2 Foetidissima, 2 Foliosa a, 3 Foliosa b, 1 Savannarum, 1 Cacique. \$10.00.

Collection 9—(Aristocrat Set.) 1 each Marian Cran, George Yeld, Yellow Moon, Kestrel, Jacinto, Conquistador, Eglamour, Lulworth, Peau Rouge, Edith Cavell, San Gabriel; totaling \$87.00. Net, \$70.00.

For All-Year Bloom

Collection 10—(Iris Calendar Set.) 36 plants, including at least 12 distinct varieties selected to cover as nearly as possible the entire year by their blooming period. This is a particularly useful collection for a southern California garden. \$20.00 net.

1926 DISCARDS

The following Irises have been rejected from our garden and will no longer be offered. Record of their departure seems worth while, although we are fully conscious that our grounds for criticism may not apply with equal force in other localities.

Anne Leslie. Weak grower.

Berchta. Uncertain in behaviour and others more attractive.

Blue Jay. Not good enough to keep.

Carmencita. Good in its way, but not outstanding.

Clematis. A type we have not learned to care for.

Dawn. Pales almost to white with us; its newer competitors, such as Old Ivory and Yellow Moon, infinitely superior.

Fulvala. Weak grower; less richly colored than others of allied parentage and exceedingly subject to rust.

Germaine le Clerc. Not sufficiently distinctive.

Glory of Reading. Ditto.

Henri Glower. Twisty stem; narrow segments.

Hope. Neither robust in growth nor particularly outstanding.

Kathryn Fryer. Poor shaped flower.

Lord of June. Standards flop badly; Ballerine and several others are greatly superior.

Loute. Very fine when well grown, but too uncertain.

Maxime Cornu. Hardly worth while.

Medallion. There are better variegatas.

Miriam. Not at all distinctive if our stock be true.

Mme. Pacquette. No longer needed, with so many newer and prettier rose-lilac varieties.

Mrs. A. M. Brand. Fades in bright sun to a washy white.

Mrs. Kingscote. Not outstanding.

Mrs. Neubronner. Very bright and attractive some seasons, but too uncertain in behaviour.

- Mrs. Reuthe.** Both this and the daintier Dimity not needed.
- Naushon.** With us not especially distinctive.
- Nokomis.** Odd, but scarcely worth while.
- Odin.** Discarded in favor of the brighter and more positive Turk.
- Ringdove.** Not sufficiently distinctive.
- Santa Monica.** Too similar to numbers of our seedlings.
- Savignian.** Not outstanding.
- Stamboul.** Not unusual in color and too sparing of its flowers.
- Toreador.** Not outstanding.
- Tuscany.** Flower not of best form and stem snaky; far outclassed by others of the type.
- Windham.** Chiefly of landscape value it is too weak a grower under our conditions to be worth while.

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OTHER BULBS

For Summer or Early Fall Delivery

- ***Freesia Buttercup.** A Freesia of Dutch origin which is close to being the finest yellow variety in commerce; wonderful for California; strong home grown corms. \$2.50 per doz.
- ***Freesia Contrast.** Creamy white with strongly contrasting yellow blotch. \$2.50 per doz.
- Freesia Mouette.** Large flowered pink. \$2.50. per doz.
- Freesia Roos Van de Kama.** Rather small flowered but an unusually deep yellow in color. Small corms, \$2.50 per doz.
- ***Freesia Rosa Bonheur.** Large-flowering pink and yellow. \$2.50 per doz.
- ***Sparaxis.** Red, with black, white, and yellow markings; exceedingly vivid and gay. \$1.00 per doz.
- Muscari Heavenly Blue.** 75c per doz.
- Lilies-of-the-Valley.** Acclimated pips. \$1.50 per doz.
- ***Bletilla hyacinthina.** Beautiful Chinese terrestrial orchid of the easiest culture in southern California; deep rosy lilac with white-pleated shirt front. Strong tubers \$5.00 each.

Available at Any Season

- Hedychium coronarium ("Ginger Lily").** Canna-like growth; waxy white flowers with a rich fragrance; fall blooming. 50c.
- ***Hedychium gardnerianum.** Taller, with deeper green foliage and yellow flowers. \$1.50.
- ***Moraea iridioides.** Lovely Iris-like flowers through a good part of the year; ornamental foliage. 50c.
- Sisyrinchium striatum.** An interesting "Blue-eyed Grass" from Chile, with tall racemes of creamy yellow flowers. \$1.00.

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